Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Monday 23 Aug 2021 until 23:59 on Tuesday 24 Aug 2021

Forecast Issued on Monday 23 Aug 2021 at 04:08

Confidence: High confidence for increasingly settled and dry conditions for this week. Low confidence regards cloud amounts from day to day.

Headline for Monday 23 Aug 2021: Dry for most and often cloudy, but some sunshine to end the day.

Mountain weather hazards on Monday 23 Aug 2021

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Medium Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability					
20%	20%	20%	10%	10%	10%

Forecast for Monday 23 Aug 2021

Weather: Clear spells during the early hours, but clouding over from the east shortly after dawn, with the odd spot of light drizzle in places. The low cloud will linger through much of the morning, but will lift and break by early afternoon with sunny spells developing, and with perhaps the odd light shower across the west of the Beacons. Turning dry with clearing skies late afternoon onwards allowing some late sunshine and a fine end to the day.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 20% or less shortly after dawn. Improving to 90% or better by early afternoon.

Visibility: Generally very good during the early hours but turning rather misty not long after dawn as extensive low cloud arrives from the east, covering most slopes above 400-500m and bringing very poor visibilities to the higher routes. Improving to very good by early afternoon as the low cloud lifts and breaks leaving only patchy cloud near 800m. Any showers will briefly make cross valley views appear faint.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	8/12 NE	9/11 NE	7/11 NE	9/14 NE	10/16 NE	11/17 NE	13/20 E
300	2/6 NE	5/9 NE	5/9 NE	7/12 NE	6/14 NE	4/9 E	5/13 E
Valley	2/3 NW	4/8 E	5/9 E	5/11 NE	5/12 NE	3/8 E	4/10 E

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	12/10	13/11	14/14	16/15	16/14	14/12	12/9
300	10/10	15/15	18/18	19/18	18/18	14/14	12/12
Valley	11/11	16/16	19/19	20/20	19/19	14/14	13/12
Freezing Level*	2800m	2800m	2900m	3000m	2600m	2700m	2800m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Low cloud will bring foggy conditions to many summits in the morning, making for some difficult navigating conditions on the higher routes.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
02:00 on Mon 23 Aug 2021	0mm	14mm	15.2mm

Forecast for Tuesday 24 Aug 2021

Weather: Dry with clear spells in the early hours, but clouding over towards dawn as patchy low cloud spreads from the east. The low cloud will readily lift and break during the morning, with some sunny spells during the afternoon. The best of the sunshine is likely to be in the west, late in the day.

Maximum wind: Northeast 15-20mph gust 25-30mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 90% or better at first, falling to 30% around dawn before improving to 90% or better by late morning.

Visibility: Generally good at first, but with foggy conditions developing on summits shortly after dawn as areas of low cloud develop covering slopes above 400-500m. Becoming widely good again by late morning as the cloud lifts and breaks to leave only small amounts near 800m.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 11 Celsius, rising to plus 20 Celsius.
At 600m: Plus 12 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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